GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – BC Welfare Department – Surprise check conducted on Govt. BC Welfare Hostel for Boys, Gudaru Rajapuram Village, Srikakulam District - Notice of certain irregularities against Sri Hanumanthu Krishna Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (Now retired) – Framing of Article of charges and conduct of inquiry by the COI - Findings of the Inquiry Authority - Charges not held proved - Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

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BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE(D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.222 **Dated:24-08-2023**

Read the following:-

1. From the Director General, ACB, A.P., Hyderabad, Rc.No.170/DES-VSK/2015, dt.25-06-2016.
2. Govt.Memo No.2612/Vig.D1/2015-1, dt.21-09-2016.
3. Charge Memo No.E/2824/2017, Dt.13.06.2018 of the Director of Welfare, A.P.
4. WSD of Sri H.Krishna Rao, ABCWO(rtd.), dt.11.07.2018.
5. G.O.Rt.No.11, BCW(D) Dept., dt.16.02.2021.
6. From the Commissionerate of Inquiries, D.O.Lr.No.7/COI-KVR/2021, Dt.21.01.2022.
7. Govt. Memo No. BCW01-GEN/5/2020-D, Dated: 27/02/2022.
8. Representation of Sri H.Krishna Rao, ABCWO(rtd.), dt.04.04.2022.
9. From the Director of BC Welfare, AP, Vijayawada, letter No.E/2824/2017, dated 13.05.2022.

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ORDER:

It has been brought to the notice of the Government that the ACB officials have inspected the Govt. BC Welfare Hostel for Boys, Gudaru Rajapuram Village, Srikakulam District. In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, ACB has furnished report duly recommending to initiate departmental action against Sri Hanumanthu Krishna Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (Now retired), among others for committing certain irregularities.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Article of charges were framed against Sri H.Krishna Rao, ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (Now retired) for lack of supervising the staff and failed to visit the said hostel with a direction to submit his written statement of defense on receipt of the order. In reply, the Charged Officer has submitted his explanation to the charges framed against him vide reference 4th read above. Since the explanation of the Charged Officer has not been satisfied, the case was entrusted to the Commissionerate of Inquiries and appointed Sri K.Venkata Rami Reddy, Member, Commissioner of Inquiries as Inquiry Authority to conduct detailed inquiry into the charges framed against the accused officers involved in the instant case.

3. In the reference 6th read above, the Inquiry Officer, after conducting the inquiry, has submitted the inquiry report stating that the charge framed against Sri H.Krishna Rao, ABCWO (Now retired) related to supervisory lapse was partly proved.

4. Government, after careful examination of the Inquiry report and explanation submitted by the Charged Officer, have decided to drop further action against him. Accordingly, Government hereby order to drop further action against Sri H.Krishna Rao, the then ABCWO, Palasa, Srikakulam District (Now retired), on the above said allegation of slack supervision over the HWO in Hostel Administration.

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5. The records of the case (i.e received from the COI) are herewith returned to the Director of BC welfare, A.P. He shall take further necessary action accordingly, in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G.ANANTHA RAMU
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri H.Krishna Rao, ABCWO (Now retired) "through" The Director of B.C.Welfare, AP, Vijayawada.
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Copy to:-
The Collector & District Magistrate, Srikakulam District.
The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Vijayawada.
The Vigilance Commissioner, APVC, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The Accountant General, AP, Vijayawada.
The DTO, Srikakulam District..
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SECTION OFFICER